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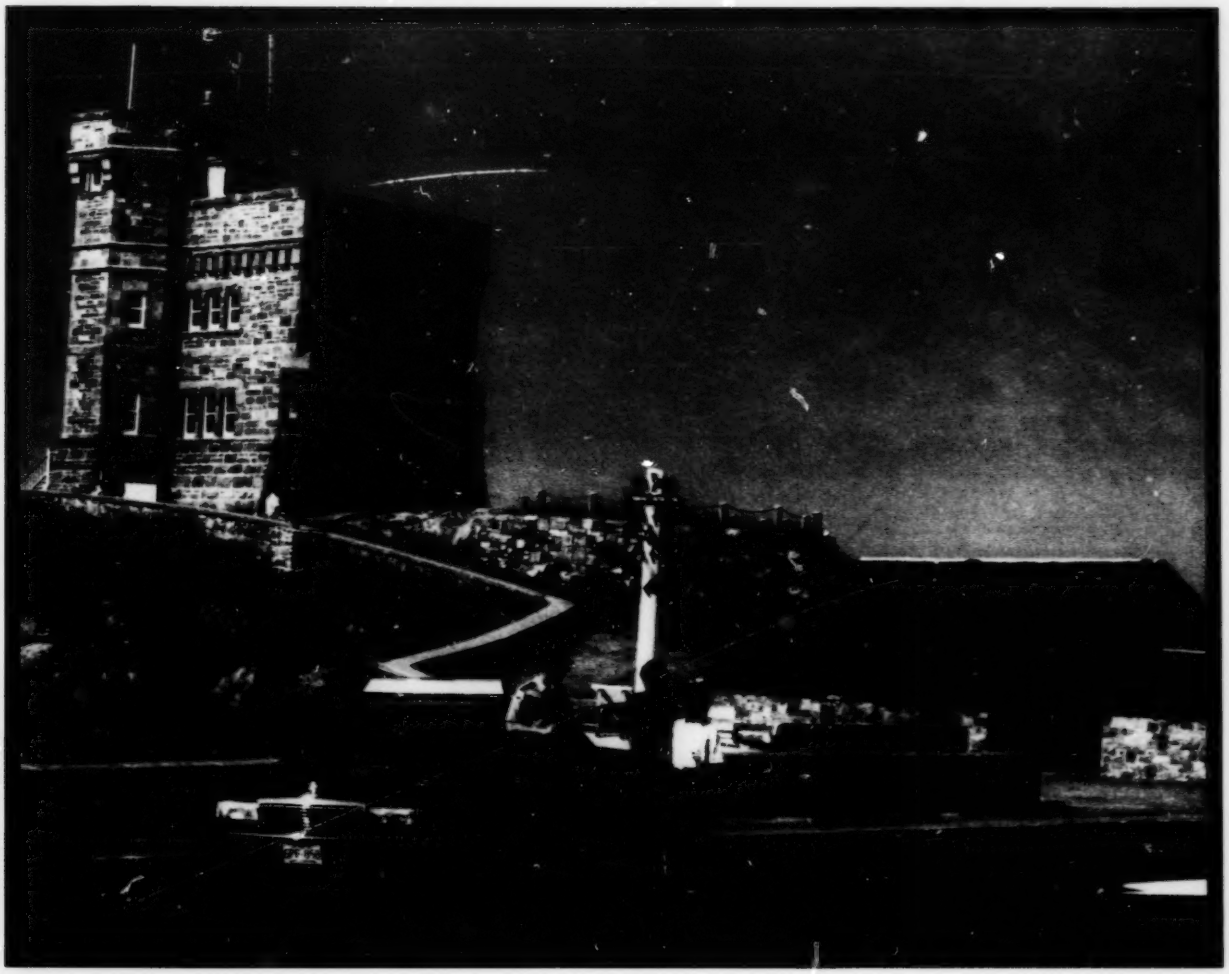

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The Honourable Paul Dicks, Q.C.
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Province of Newfoundland & Labrador.

The following is the 1990 statistical report of the Royal Newfoundland Constabulary for your approval.

The switch from a manual to a computer procedure has made the process of compiling the annual report a much quicker one. It also allows our reporting procedures to be consistent with that of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police in this Province.

Despite the many changes that we must continually face, the Constabulary remains committed to its mandate - to serve and protect the people of Newfoundland and Labrador.

E.J. Scady,
Chief of Police

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FOREWORD

This year's statistical report is markedly different from those issued in the past. The format and statistical reporting has changed significantly, largely to reflect changes in our record system.

The past year, 1990, marked the first full year that the Royal Newfoundland Constabulary (RNC) Central Records Office operated under the Police Information Retrieval System (PIRS), a computerized records programme managed by the Royal Canadian Mounted Police (RCMP). Since then the RNC divisions at Corner Brook and Labrador West have also adopted PIRS. This means that the entire province is now maintaining a uniform system of criminal records.

Prior to the adoption of PIRS the two Police Forces in Newfoundland and Labrador operated their own record systems. The Constabulary had operated a manual system of record-keeping; PIRS offers the advantages of a computer system as well as uniformity.

With this in mind we have updated our statistical report to place it in line with other reporting procedures. Our new system uses somewhat different statistical categories than before so it was felt that providing comparisons with other years might be misleading. As a result readers of this report will note that for this year only, we have not provided comparisons. In future years we will, of course, provide comparative data. Statistics from previous years can be made available upon request, although in the old format.

It was decided that since the reporting procedures necessitated changes anyway, it was a good opportunity to revamp our format. For the reader's convenience we have incorporated the statistics from headquarters, the two divisions, and totals on the same page.

We have also taken the opportunity to present information, statistical and otherwise, about the Force. We feel this additional data will be useful in providing background on the RNC and help put the remainder of the report in context.

The Organization of the Royal Newfoundland Constabulary

Areas Policed by the Royal Newfoundland Constabulary

1. Labrador West
2. Corner Brook
3. St. John's Metropolitan Area

The Royal Newfoundland Constabulary is one of the oldest police forces in North America, tracing its origins to 1871 when the Force was reorganized following the removal of the British garrison from Newfoundland.

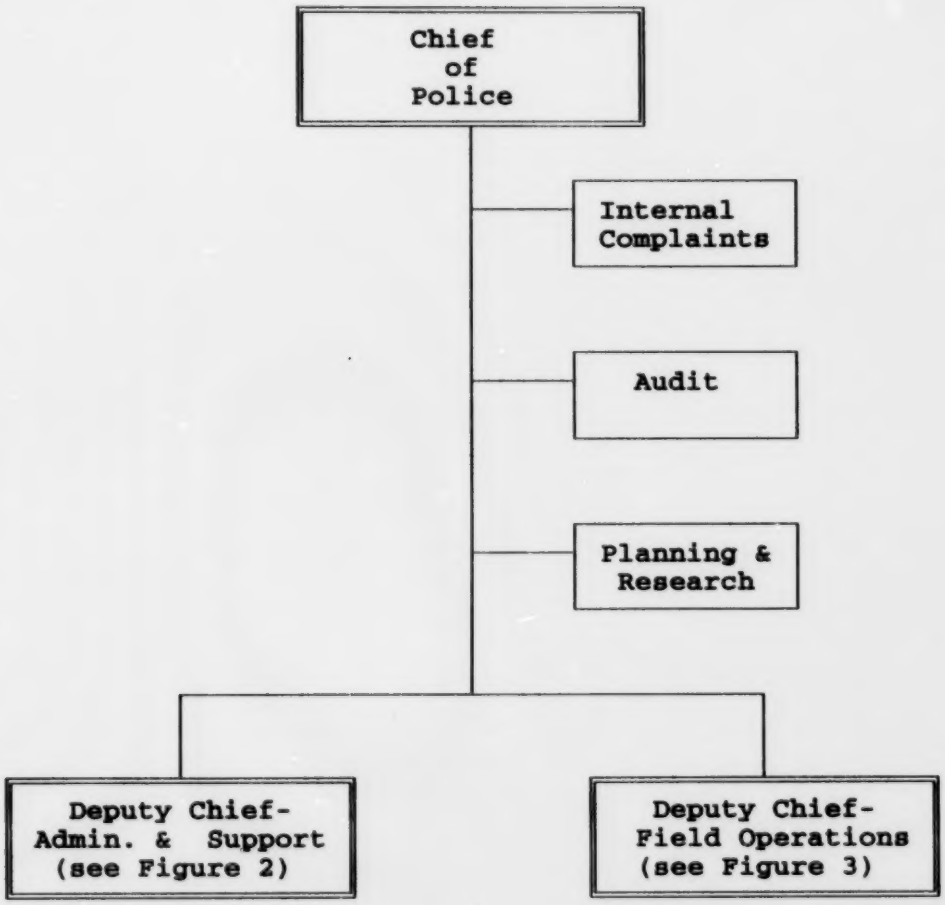
The RNC currently operates from its modern headquarters at Fort Townshend in St. John's and polices three areas of the province as follows:

AREA	SQUARE MILES POLICED	POP. SERVED
St. John's Metropolitan Area	235	171,000
Corner Brook	8	23,000
Labrador	27,315	15,000 (SEE MAP)

The Force comes under the direction and control of Chief of Police E.J. Coady. The division at Corner Brook is commanded by Superintendent Harold Pitcher while the Labrador West division is commanded by Inspector Everett Green. The strength of each division is as follows:

AREA	POLICE PERSONNEL	CIVILIAN STAFF
St. John's Metropolitan Area	302	43
Corner Brook	48	3
Labrador West	27	3

Figure 1.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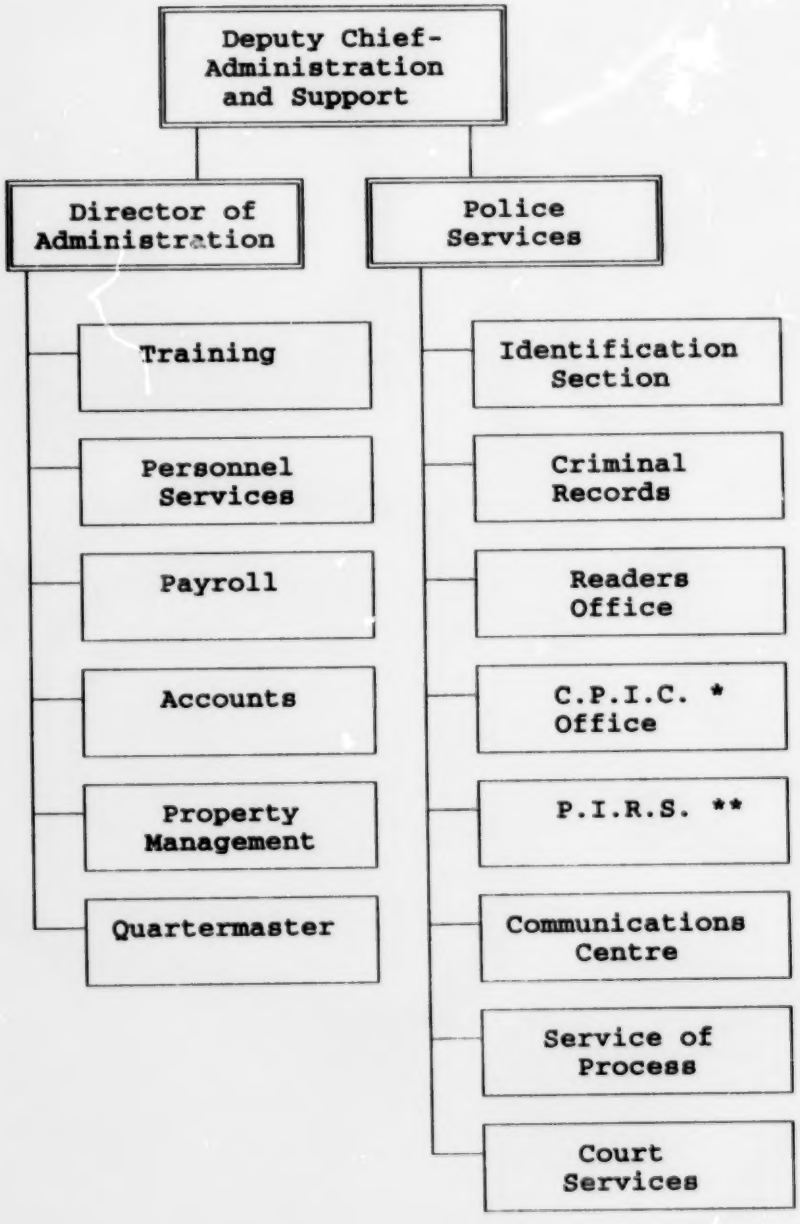
Internal Complaints
Audit
Planning & Research
Deputy Chief- Admin. & Support (see Figure 2)
Deputy Chief- Field Operations (see Figure 3)

Figure 2.



*C.P.I.C. - Canadian Police Information Centre
**P.I.R.S. - Police Information Retrieval System

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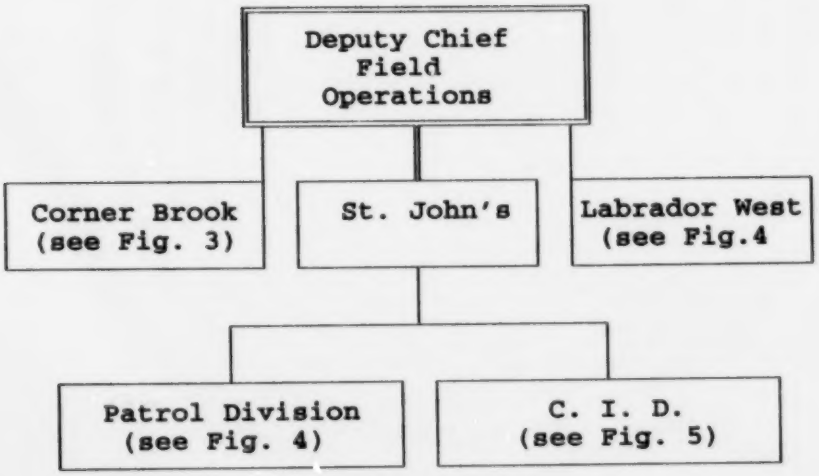
Deputy Chief
Field
Operations
Corner Brook
(see Fig. 3)
St. John's
Labrador West
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Patrol Division
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C. I. D.
(see Fig. 5)

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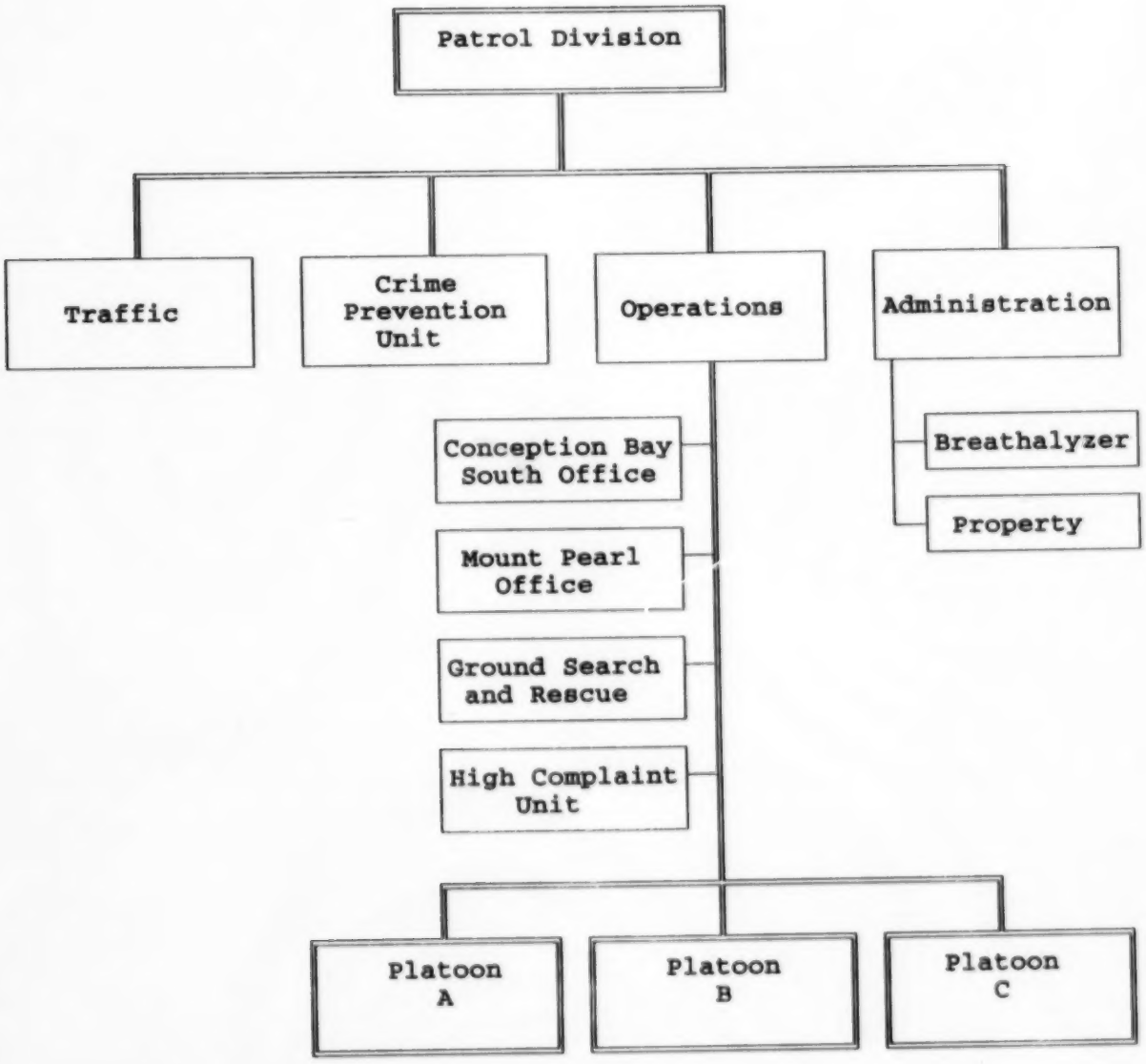
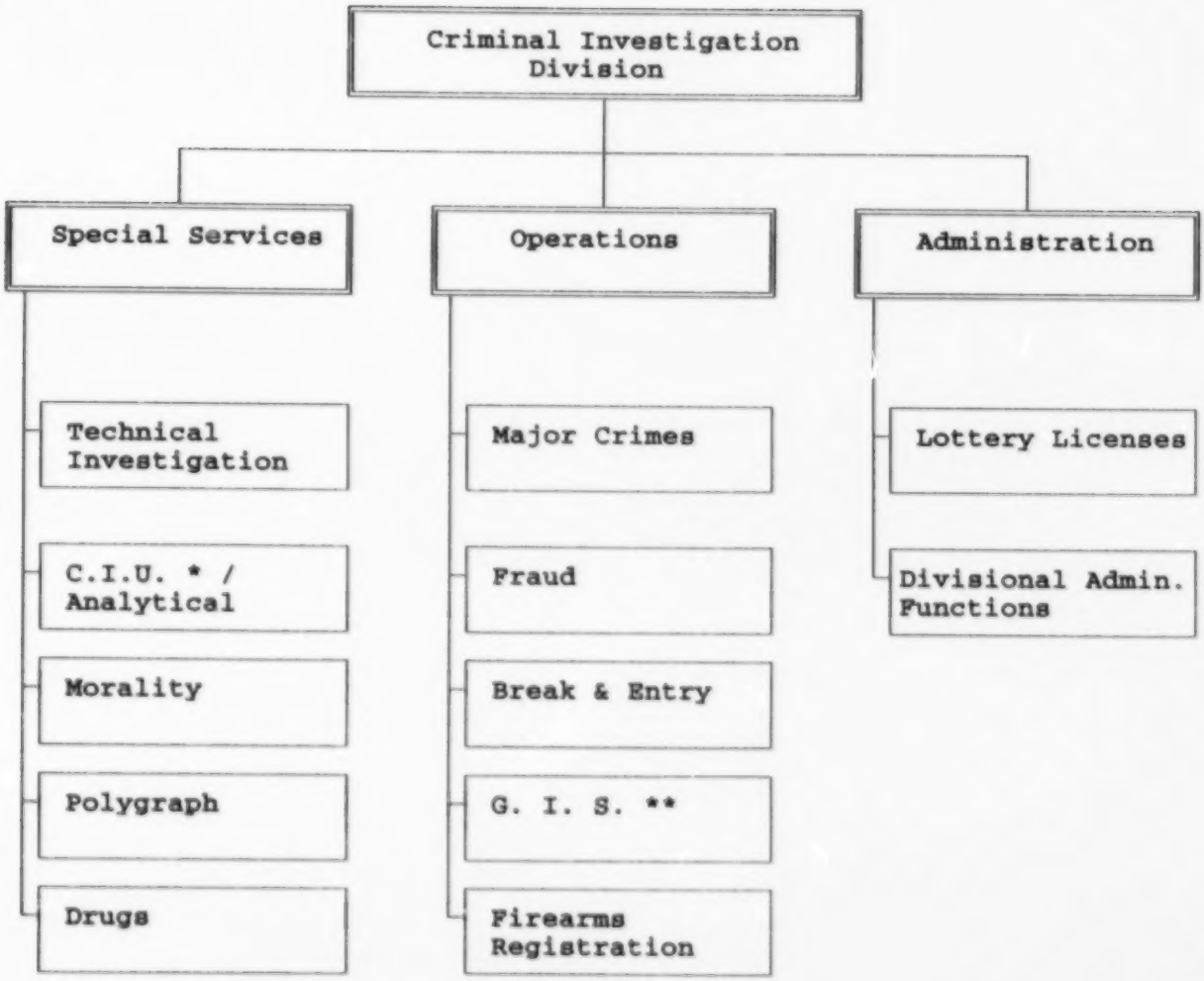

Patrol Division
Traffic
Crime Prevention Unit
Operations
Administration
Conception Bay South Office
Mount Pearl Office
Ground Search and Rescue
High Complaint Unit
Breathalyzer
Property
Platoon A
Platoon B
Platoon C

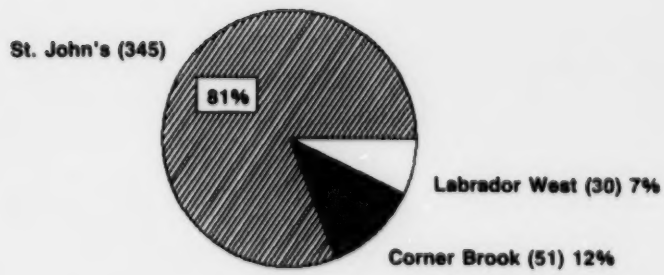
Figure 5.



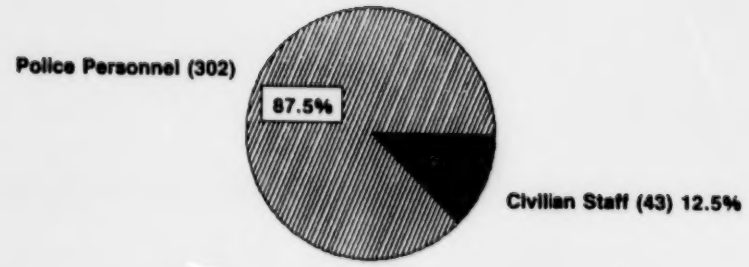
* Criminal Intelligence Unit
** General Investigation Section

Total Personnel
Uniformed & Civilian
All Locations

Total Personnel
Uniformed & Civilian
By Location

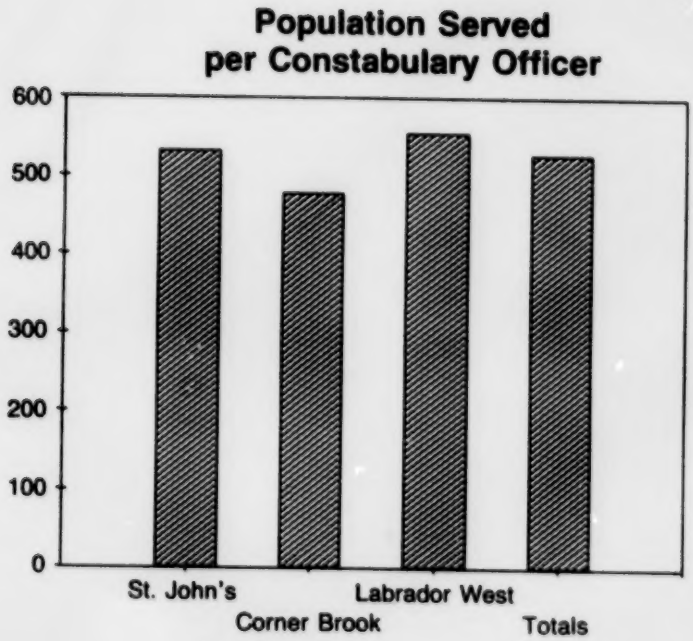


St. John's Personnel



Corner Brook Personnel

Labrador West Personnel


Population Served
per Constabulary Officer
600
500
400
300
200
100
0
St. John's
Corner Brook
Labrador West
Totals

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Category	St. John's	Corner Brook	Labrador West	Totals
Homicide				
Murder 1st Degree	-	-	-	-
Murder 2nd Degree	-	-	-	-
Manslaughter	1	-	-	1
Attempted Murder	-	-	-	-
Robbery with Firearm	8	-	-	8
Other Offensive Weapon	9	-	-	9
Other Robbery	25	-	-	25
Assaults				
Aggravated Sex Assault	5	-	-	5
Sexual Assault/Weapon	6	1	-	7
Sexual Assault	344	39	15	398
Assault Level One	1182	61	28	1271
Assault Level Two	237	-	-	237
Aggravated Assault Level Three	2	3	-	5
Assault/Bodily Harm	8	18	2	28
Assault/Police Officer	53	6	1	60
Assault/Peace/Pub	2	-	-	2
Other Assaults	1020	1	-	1021
Other Sex Offenses	18	-	-	18
Abduction				
Under Fourteen	6	2	-	8
Under Sixteen	1	1	-	2

Category	St. John's	Corner Brook	Labrador West	Totals
Break and Entry				
Break & Entry Business Premises	609	79	13	701
Break & Entry Residence	1107	27	24	1158
Break & Entry Cottage	48	-	7	55
Other Break & Entries	229	25	2	256
Theft - Motor Vehicle				
Auto Theft	320	12	8	340
Truck Theft	16	5	1	22
Other Motor Vehicles	42	4	6	52
Motorcycle Theft	37	1	2	40
Theft Over $1000				
Theft From Motor Vehicle	20	1	2	23
Shoplifting over $1000	24	-	-	24
Other Theft over $1000	244	17	5	266
Theft Under $1000				
Bicycle Theft	274	26	13	313
Theft From Motor Vehicle	1450	117	36	1603
Shoplifting Under $1000	1404	118	12	1534
Other Theft Under $1000	1719	253	20	1992
Theft of Telecommunication	7	7	-	14
Possession Stolen Goods	147	28	-	175

Category	St. John's	Corner Brook	Labrador West	Totals
Frauds				
Fraud - Cheques	196	62	17	275
Credit Card Fraud	32	3	-	35
Other Frauds	115	18	7	140
Securities Fraud	2	-	-	2
Fraud, Sec. 338 CCC	457	-	-	457
Forgery, Sec. 325 CCC	112	-	1	113
Uttering, Sec. 326 CCC	46	-	-	46
Morals				
Bawdy House	1	-	-	1
Other Prostitution	2	-	-	2
Offensive Weapons				
Prisoner Unlawfully at Large	12	-	2	14
Breach of Probation	32	-	14	46
Other Criminal Code	868	172	-	1040

Category	St. John's	Corner Brook	Labrador West	Totals
Narcotics				
Cocaine Possession	3	-	-	3
Cocaine Traffic	8	-	-	8
Marihuana Possession	23	37	-	60
Marihuana Traffic	3	3	1	7
Marihuana Cultivation	2	-	-	2
Hashish Possession	101	-	-	101
Hashish Traffic	48	-	-	48
Hashish Importation	1	-	-	1
Other Narcotics	6	-	-	6
Restricted Drugs	3	1	-	4
Weapons/Explosives				
Explosives	2	-	-	2
Prohibited Weapon	14	3	-	17
Restricted Weapon	8	2	-	10
Other Weapons	98	1	1	100

Category	St. John's	Corner Brook	Labrador West	Totals
Other Criminal Code				
Arson	67	1	-	68
Counterfeiting	2	-	-	2
Trespass at Night	13	2	-	15
Property Damage Over $1000	101	-	-	101
Property Damage Under $1000	2380	191	178	2749
Disturbing The Peace	1598	39	-	1637
Obstructing Public/ Peace	89	4	-	93
Bail Violations	680	23	-	703
Escaping Lawful Custody	64	3	-	67
Other Federal				
Customs Act	7	-	-	7
Excise Act	-	-	-	-
Canada Shipping Act	3	-	-	3
Immigration Act	19	-	-	19
Aeronautics Act	12	-	-	12
Citizenship Act	1	-	-	1
National Parole Act	8	-	-	8
Income Tax Act	1	-	-	1
Other Federal Acts	4	-	-	4
Transportation of Dangerous Goods	2	-	-	2

Category	St. John's	Corner Brook	Labrador West	Totals
Other Provincial				
Child Welfare Act	73	-	-	73
Sudden Deaths	172	24	6	202
Family Relations Act	89	-	-	89
Fuel Oil Tax Act	1	-	-	1
Intoxicated Persons Detention	2206	98	12	2316
Liquor Act	1268	57	23	1348
Litter Act	3	-	-	3
Mental Health Act	722	35	8	765
Provincial Wildlife Act	12	10	3	25
Summary Proceedings Act	2	-	-	2
Other Provincial Statutes	218	40	-	258
Fire Prevention Act	428	-	3	431
Dog Act	213	-	-	213
Trespass Act	10	19	-	29
Off Road Vehicle Act	30	14	92	136
Municipal				
Municipal By-Laws	1022	3	9	1034
Collisions				
Fatal Collisions	14	-	1	15
Non-fatal Injury Collisions	1025	72	32	1129
Property Damage Collisions	4766	631	337	5734
Non-reportable Damage	283	-	-	283

Category	St. John's	Corner Brook	Labrador West	Totals
Criminal Code Traffic				
Dangerous Operation of Motor Vehicle / Death	1	-	-	1
Dangerous Operation of Motor Vehicle / B Harm	1	-	-	1
Dangerous Operation of Motor Vehicle	16	3	3	22
Impaired Causing Bodily Harm	12	1	-	13
Impaired Operation of Motor Vehicle	242	-	-	242
Driving Over 80mg	856	63	6	925
Refusal of Breath Test	213	10	8	231
Refusal of Roadside Alert	25	-	-	25
Refusal of Blood Sample	3	-	-	3
Failure To Stop/Remain at Scene	34	2	49	85
Prohibited Driving	145	2	2	149
Total Other Investigations	4940	-	-	4940

Category	St. John's	Corner Brook	Labrador West	Totals
Provincial Traffic				
Failure to Stop/Remain at Scene	699	-	-	699
Dangerous Driving	60	-	-	60
Disqualified Driving	11	2	-	13
Other Moving Traffic (Tickets)	18097	2004	1830	21931
Other Non-Moving Traffic (Tickets)	9319	248	182	9749
Insurance Charges (Tickets)	507	-	-	507
Parking Violations (Tickets)	27415	1450	196	29061
Written Warnings	9462	1563	1342	12367
Miscellaneous				
Total Service of Legal Documents	828	639	527	1994
Total Assists of General Public	13522	691	440	14653
Total Permits Issued	2501	-	-	2501
Total Inspections	46	-	-	46